

TITLE:

"Antivirus firms threaten U.S. national security"

ABSTRACT:

For years, major U.S. antivirus firms secretly turned over cyberwar technology to the Chinese government. They even formed a cartel to negotiate with hostile nations at the expense of U.S. national security.

The antivirus cartel still exists -- and China's war machine continues to benefit from it. Rob Rosenberger is the only virus expert who can speak authoritatively on "The China Syndrome." Join him for a jaw-dropping speech on the antivirus industry's dirtiest secrets.

BIO:

Rob Rosenberger, MSgt, USAFR, is one of only a handful of critics in the computer security industrial complex. He is an "original" virus expert from the 1980s, and he was the first to focus on virus hysteria. Red Herring magazine described him as "one of the most visible and cursed critics in computer security" today, and PC World magazine says he "is merciless with self-appointed virus experts and the credulous publications that quote them." He was one of only a dozen industry experts invited to the White House's first-ever antivirus summit meeting.

As a civilian, Mr. Rosenberger works full-time as an editor and columnist for computer security website Vmyths.com. As a member of the USAF Reserves, MSgt Rosenberger is a historian (AFSC 3H071) who deploys worldwide to document major operations. He served a four-month tour in Iraq as part of Operation IRAQI FREEDOM. MSgt Rosenberger also earned an award for his special study of Air Force aeromedical missions on 9/11/01.